

information which comes to light in the course of this work will disclose the need to take the depositions of other members of your Department. It is planned to take the depositions in the office of United States Attorney Barefoot Sanders, United States Post Office Building, Dallas, Texas. We hope to arrange times which will meet the convenience of the officers involved and the operations of your Department. Mr. Ball and Mr. Belin will contact you shortly after their arrival in Dallas to make the necessary arrangements.

Thank you for your continued cooperation.

Sincerely,

SIGNED

J. Lee Rankin
General Counsel

Enclosure

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Honorable J. E. Curvy
Chief of Police
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Dallas, Texas

Dear Chief Curvy:

On behalf of the Commission I would like to thank you for the cooperation extended by you and your staff to representatives of the Commission in Dallas during the past week.

In my letter of March 18, 1964, which was delivered to Chief Batchelor, I set forth the names of various members of your Department to be interviewed or deposed by members of the staff. I am informed by Mr. Robert and Mr. Griffin that a considerable amount of this work has already been completed.

Two additional members of the Commission staff, Mr. Joseph A. Ball and Mr. David W. Belin, will be in Dallas on March 31, 1964, and expect to remain for approximately a week. On behalf of the Commission Mr. Ball and Mr. Belin wish to take the depositions of various police officers who participated in the search of the Texas School Book Depository, the search of the Paine home in Irving, Texas, the search of the home at North Beckley, and the arrest of Lee Harvey Oswald. In addition, these members of the staff wish to interrogate the officers who were present at the line-up where the suspect was shown to witnesses and those present during the interrogation of Oswald.

At this time Mr. Ball and Mr. Belin are interested in taking the depositions of the police officers listed on the attachment to this letter. It may be, of course, that additional

Chief Lumpkin
Det. Leslie D. Montgomery
Det. R. L. Studebaker
Det. Marvin Johnson
Bob K. Carroll
Charles T. Walker
T. A. Hutson
Ray Hawkins
Gerald L. Hill
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